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A graph showing a linear relationship between two variables. The x-axis has tick marks at 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10. The y-axis has tick marks at 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10. A straight line starts at (0, 10) and ends at (10, 0).

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